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Did you receive one of our 1907 Calendars, the one with BIG FIGURES that you can see without using spectacles? If you did not receive one it was an unintentional oversight on our part.

We want all of our many patrons to have one, so call at the Bank and get yours and have your name put on our mailing list.

THE CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK

Presents the following figures for your thoughtful consideration:

Capital,	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits,	\$102,503.15
Total Resources, over	\$1,000,000.00

To Thoughtful People looking for a safe place to keep their money, or transact their banking business, these figures mean MUCH.

The CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK is the OLDEST and STRONGEST BANK in western Washtenaw county.

Our Capital and Surplus is over three times greater than any other Bank in western Washtenaw county. Our Board of Directors are men of known business ability and integrity, men who have made a success of business, by fair and square business methods, which is evidenced by the fact that they pay more taxes on real estate and personal property than the Directors of any other Bank in Washtenaw county.

We solicit your Banking business and guarantee prompt, honest and courteous treatment.

THE CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK.

OFFICERS:

FRANK P. GLAZIER, President.
W. J. KNAPP, Vice-President. JOHN W. SCHENK, Vice President.
THEO E. WOOD, Cashier. P. G. SCRIBBLE, Assistant Cashier.
A. K. STIMSON, Auditor. GEORGE A. LEHMAN, Accountant.

CANNED

Fruits and Vegetables.

Here is a combination Canned Goods Special for Monday, January 14th.

Two cans Early June Peas,	20c
One can Tomatoes,	10c
Two cans Corn,	20c
One can Red Kidney Beans,	10c
Total,	60c

46c.

These are extra standard goods. We offer the entire supply for a leader.

The Famous Michigan Roller King Flour, per sack 65c.

Corn, peas, wax beans, succotash, etc., "extra quality," can	15c
Baked beans, 3 cans	25c
Fancy peaches, can	18c
VanCamp's hominy, can	10c
Pea nut butter, glass jar,	15c
Fancy ren salmon, 2 cans	20c
Codfish, white thick cuts, pound	12½c
Large fat mackerel, pound	15c
Fine four string broom, 35c quality	30c
Old Dutch cleaner, 3 cans for	25c
Large cake toilet soap	5c
Jolson's naphtha soap, 7 cakes	25c
Good imported sardines, can	10c
Jackson Gem flour, sack	55c
Large bottle vanilla extract	20c
Macaroni, noodles, etc., 3 packages	25c

AT THE BUSY STORE OF

FREEMAN BROS.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING.

Stockholders of Chelsea Savings Bank Met Tuesday and Elected Directors and Officers for the Year 1907.

At the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chelsea Savings Bank, Tuesday, January 8th, the following directors and officers were elected: Directors—Frank P. Glazier, Wm. J. Knapp, Wm. P. Schenk, Henry I. Stimson, John W. Schenk, Adam Eppler, Theo. E. Wood.

OFFICERS.

Frank P. Glazier, president.
Wm. J. Knapp, first vice-president.
John W. Schenk, 2nd vice-president.
Theo. E. Wood, cashier.
Paul G. Schenck, assistant cashier.

The annual report shows 1906 to be the banner year in the Bank's history. The surplus and profits now amount to \$102,503.15, which, together with \$100,000.00 capital, makes a total working capital of \$202,503.15. This places the Chelsea Savings Bank in the front rank as one of the strongest Banks in southern Michigan; in fact, there is no other Bank in Washtenaw county with a larger capital, and only one (the Ann Arbor Savings) with as great a surplus.

The Senatorial Contest.

The Michigan legislature took five ballots for United States Senator Wednesday night and adjourned at midnight until this evening at 8 o'clock. The vote on the fifth ballot stood as follows:

W. A. Smith.....	43
Hill.....	32
Townsend.....	27
McMillan.....	24

Godfrey Lewick.

Godfrey Lewick, of Lima, died at his home in that township, Tuesday afternoon, January 8, 1907. Mr. Lewick was born in Lima township in August, 1835, and his entire life has been spent in that township. He was a progressive and prosperous farmer and a man who, in years past, has taken an active part in the affairs that benefited the community where his life has been spent.

For the past twelve years Mr. Lewick has been afflicted with rheumatism, and most of the time he has been confined to his home.

He is survived by one son, Henry, and one daughter, Delight, and a number of brothers and sisters.

The funeral will be held from his late home at 1:30 o'clock, local time, Friday afternoon of this week, Rev. Thomas Holmes, R. D., officiating. Interment in Lima Center cemetery.

Board of Supervisors.

The January session of the board of supervisors started in Ann Arbor Monday morning.

A committee was appointed by Chairman Warner to act with the prosecuting attorney in looking over the bonds of the county officers.

A communication from the president of the state association of supervisors announced that the annual meeting of the association would be held in Lansing February 3, and requested that a delegate from the Washtenaw board be sent.

The board of supervisors Monday afternoon instructed Prosecuting Attorney Sawyer to prepare a bill to abolish the board of county auditors, providing it can be done under the present constitutional amendment.

Two bids were before the board Tuesday morning for fire-proofing the probate office. Both bids were under the \$3,000 limit and there was \$600 between them. The bid of the Art Metallic Co., of Jamestown, N. Y., was preferred by the committee over that of the Berger Mfg. Co. of Canton, O., on the ground that the former provided more file cases and the file cases were larger, so that blanks could be filed without folding.

Taylor-Fetters.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Howlett, of Lyndon Center, Thursday evening, December 27, 1907, when their sister, Miss Elizabeth Taylor, was united in marriage with Mr. Theodore Fetters, of Wegetonsing. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. E. Miller, the bride, accompanied by Miss Grace Drew and Mr. Gibbins Walker, took their places in front of a large smilax heart in the parlor, where they were made husband and wife, Rev. A. W. Wilson, of Munith, officiating. The bride was attired in white French lawn, trimmed with hand-made baby Irish lace, and carried white roses. The bridesmaid wore embroidered muslin and carried pink carnations. The groom and his attendant were dressed in the conventional black. The rooms were tastefully decorated with holly, smilax and carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Howlett served a wedding supper in honor of the event to a large company of the friends of the contracting parties, who were heartily congratulated. They left for their northern home the same evening, and their friends gave them a shower of rice as a reminder of the joyous occasion.

Insurance Statements.

The annual statement of the North-western Washtenaw Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., located at Chelsea, ending December 31, 1906, shows that the company has a membership of 367. During the year 41 new members were added to the list and 6 withdrew. The total amount of risks carried at present is \$605,214. During the past year the company has paid in losses \$308.33. The number of losses for the year were four. The company made their last assessment in January, 1905. There will be one levied this year, but the amount per thousand has not yet been fully decided upon.

The statement of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. for the same year shows a total membership of 3,215. During the year 267 members were added and 232 members withdrew, leaving a net gain for the year of 35. The total amount of stock liable for assessment is \$5,235,615. The company in their report show total receipts for the year of \$33,038.47, and total disbursements of \$32,862.38. They paid for 55 losses—fire and lightning—during the past year, \$17,400.54.

The Bowling Teams.

Friday evening the Jackson team of bowlers met the Chelsea team in a series of three games on the Alber alleys of this place. The visiting team was short one man and Adam Eppler was selected by them to fill the vacant place. Both the local and visiting teams did some good work. The Chelsea team were the victors in all three games. The points scored by each of the bowlers were as follows:

CHELSEA.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Staffan.....	174	126	157	457
Glazier.....	155	179	149	483
Seger.....	165	130	181	476
Moe.....	140	136	151	427
Millsbaugh.....	131	184	120	435

JACKSON.

	1st	2d	3d	Total
Miller.....	140	167	132	439
Gilbert.....	163	139	124	426
Hague.....	160	144	173	477
Cornwell.....	129	172	116	417
Eppler.....	98	115	143	356

The Chelsea team will visit Jackson in the near future, where they will play a series of three games with the visiting team.

Banks in Fine Condition.

On every page of the annual report of the state banking commissioner there is proof of the prosperous condition of the financial institutions of the state.

Twenty-three state banks and one trust company were organized during the year, adding upward of a million dollars to the banking capital of the state. There are now 302 state banks, with a total capital stock of \$5,515,425, and total resources and liabilities of \$236,764,589.

The total number of depositors in the 302 state banks and 88 national banks of the state is 748,189, and the amount of their deposits is \$286,300,111, the average deposit being \$382.

The commissioner says he has no amendments to suggest to the general banking law, as it is now sufficiently broad to permit thorough supervision.

Elected Officers.

The Congregational Sunday school last Sunday, January 6, 1907, elected the following officers for the coming year: Superintendent—F. E. Storms. Asst. Supt.—L. T. Freeman. Sec. and Treas.—Bessie Allen. Asst. Sec.—Grace Bacon. Librarian—Miss Lou Wilson. Asst. Librarian—Anna Walworth. Pianist—Ruth Bartch. Asst. Chorister—J. G. Webster. Supt. Cradle Roll—Mrs. S. A. Mapes.

Notice.

Having seized on a chattel mortgage, the goods, tools, horses, wagons and equipment used by John G. Adriaen in conducting his meat market, I shall offer the same at chattel mortgage sale, on Monday, January 14, 1907, commencing at 10 o'clock a.m. at the following places: The smoked meats, lard, salt meats, tools, ice box, counters, etc., in the Klein building; horses, wagons, harnesses, in the Adriaen barn, and the tools in the slaughter house on the premises where the building is located.

Frank Leach, Deputy Sheriff.

If parents who have children in school would teach the children to have regard for the authority of the teachers who are placed in school to control and teach them, the pupils would learn valuable lessons that they may otherwise be compelled to learn later in life and in a more drastic manner than by the punishment inflicted in school. Sympathizing with a pupil who receives merited punishment in school is the surest way in the world to teach that pupil a lack of regard for constituted authority that is very apt to prove greatly to the pupil's detriment in years to come.—Ex.

All purchases will be guaranteed satisfactory—your money back if you want it.

THE BANK DRUG STORE

If you buy something that you don't want bring it back and get your money.

STOCK REDUCTION SALE.

Beginning with next Saturday Morning, January 12, we will hold a Stock Reduction Sale for the explicit purpose of reducing our stock in some lines and of disposing of the odds and ends of all lines.

That we have determined to close these surplus stocks out is sufficient evidence to the people of Chelsea and vicinity that the greatest possible bargains in reliable merchandise will be found here. What the goods cost us will be our least consideration; our attention will be given to prices that will surely move them. The sale will continue two weeks, and as examples of what the selling will be we mention the following:

Crockery

- 6 only, 100-piece Dinner Sets, Were \$7.50, now \$5.48
- 10 Sets White and Gold Dinner Sets, Were \$12.50, now 10.80
- 7 Sets white Porcelain Dinner Sets, Were \$9.25 now 6.95
- 1 Decorated Dinner Set, Was \$14.00 now 7.50
- 4 Imperial Habsburg China Dinner Sets, Were \$21.95, now 14.61
- 1 only, Vienna, Austrian China Dinner Set, Was \$19.50, now \$13.00
- Edds and Ends in white table ware at 1-2 price.
- 17 4-quart brown Cider Pitchers, were 35c now 19c
- 21 2-quart brown Pitchers, 25c, now 17c
- 13 4-quart white Pitchers, 35c, now 19c
- 9 large, white Platters, 40c, now 27c
- 4 only, Covered Vegetable Dishes, \$1.15, now 50c
- 500 pieces 10c assortment handy dishes at 7c each
- 27 2-quart Glass Water Jugs, 25c, now 13c
- All Jardinieres at from 1-4 to 1-2 off.
- 8 only, Decorated Vase Lamps, \$2.50, now \$1.25
- 3 only, Decorated Vase Lamps, \$1.00 now 69c
- All other Lamps except Nettle Lamps, 1-4 off.

Our Entire Stock of Fine, New, Electric Portable Lamps at 1-4 Off.

All Lamp and Electric Portable Shades, except plain white and green, 1-4 off.

Stationery

Odds and Ends in Fine Box Paper, Envelopes, Tablets, Fine Paper in pound packages, etc., at 1-2 off regular price.
Our 5c Special Tablet During this Sale goes at 3c each.

Wall Paper

To make room for a big lot due to arrive about February 15, we will offer our entire stock of Wall Paper during this sale at a straight 1-4 off on regular, plainly marked selling price.

Odds and Ends and small lots or remnants in Wall Paper go at one-half price or less.

Jewelry

We have determined to give some unheard of bargains in good Gold Jewelry, hence the following big cuts in prices.

- All Gent's Gold and Gold Filled Vest Chains, 1-2 Off
- All Ladies' and Gent's Fob Chains, 1-2 Off
- All Ladies' and Gent's Set Rings, 1-2 Off
- All Ladies' Neck Chains, 1-2 Off
- Solid Gold Crosses, 1-2 Off
- Ladies' Solid Gold Brooch Pins, 1-4 Off
- All Clocks except Alarm Clocks, 1-4 Off
- All Watches at Reduced Prices.

Silverware

- All Silver Plated Hollow Ware, 1-4 Off.
- All Silver Plated Flat Ware, except knives and forks, 1-4 Off
- All Sterling Silverware, 1-4 Off
- Any Framed Picture in our store 1-2 off regular price.
- A large assortment of Good Books, embracing books for boys and girls, as well as books for grown people. Any two for the price of one.

Drug Bargains for Stockmen and Farmers.

35 pounds Sulphur for \$1.00.
Glauber Salts, in 10 pound lots or upward, 1c lb.
Tobacco Dust, 6 pounds for 25c
Zenolem and Kreso Dip, \$1.25 per gallon.
Fleck's Stock Food, 85c per pail.

Streeter's Condition Powders, our own make, Pound, 25c.
Double Distilled Witch Hazel Extract, 35c quart
Best Spirits Camphor, 50c pint.
Streeter's Liniment, 50c pint.

BANK DRUG STORE.

L. T. FREEMAN.

Resolutions.

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in His wise providence to take out of this life our beloved sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Riemenschneider, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the German M. E. Church at Francisco, experience the loss of our sister deeply and humbly submit to the divine will.

Whereas, She being the oldest member of our society, having passed beyond four-score years, and rejoice in the Christian character she displayed in her life.

That we express our heartfelt sympathy for those who mourn the loss of "mother," and pray that divine comfort may be theirs in this sad bereavement.

That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each member of the family, and also be placed upon record in the minutes of the society, and, furthermore, that they be published in the Chelsea Standard-Herald.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY
Of the German M. E. Church, Francisco.

"Texas Calvin" will be on exhibition in Corwin's livery barn from Thursday until Saturday evening of this week. This horse is a natural curiosity and should be seen by all. Price of admission 10 cents.

While They Last we will Sell

Six quart Milk Pans at 65 cents per Dozen.

Six quart Pudding Pans 10c each or 3 for 25c

25c Granite Wash basins for 15c

14 quart Dish Pan 15c each or 2 for 25c

Bargains in Harness, Blankets, Robes, Washing Machines and a large line of all makes of Sewing Machines.

Wire is advancing, leave your order with us for 1 amb Wire Fence. The best along the Pike.

HOLMES & WALKER.

We Treat You Right.

Thomas Jefferson never spoke a truer word than that the art of government consists in being honest. If one gives a little thought to the subject he will be surprised to discover that nearly all failures in government can be traced to dishonesty of one kind or another. Either the politicians seeking office have not been honest with the people in appealing for votes, or the men in office have sought their personal profit rather than the general good. The recent indictments of public officers in different parts of the country have called renewed attention to the evils that follow betrayal of trust. Men have used their official influence for their private gain. They have regarded the power put in their hands not as a trust to be administered for the good of all, but as an opportunity to enrich themselves, or to advance their political fortunes at the expense of the public. This sort of conduct is what John C. Calhoun once called an attack on the "very essence of a free government." One of the gravest evils of the present time lies in the general glorification of financial success. There are many who admire the "smart" man who carries through what he undertakes, and they do not care whether his methods are honorable or not. The man who enters upon office poor and leaves it rich is envied by these persons. They applaud his ability, and forget the moral shipwreck that he has made of his life. They forget that in the long run a man reaps what he sows; that unfaithfulness in early life means contempt in old age. What more pathetic and moving sight is there than a gray head, once honored, bowed in disgrace over the disclosure of a life of indifference to the finer moral standards? The great mass of the people are honest, says Youth's Companion; they abhor fraud and deceit; but they have great patience with the vagaries of any public servant in whose honesty of purpose they have confidence. The unfaithful servant may prosper for a while, but the day of reckoning surely comes.

Respect for Old Glory.

Respect for the national flag is growing, but it is not yet so universal and deep-seated as it should be. Popular sentiment has found expression in legislation which has to do with various phases of the subject, and a great deal has been done in this way and through appeals to patriotism to discourage the improper use of the Star Spangled Banner. But the crusade may have to be carried farther. The St. Louis Globe-Democrat mentions with disapproval an incident which occurred in its city. At a certain charity bazaar held there a large number of flags were offered for sale. At the close of the bazaar 35 of these were left unsold. There were no offers for the flags until a certain actor came along. He was induced to affix his autograph to the flags, whereupon they went off like the traditional hot cakes at a dollar apiece. The circumstances move the Globe-Democrat to adverse comment. Much of this is caustic and aimed at the actor's evident love of advertising himself, but the real point is here: "We believe there is a law against using the United States flag for advertising purposes." There certainly is, at least in some states, and the spirit of that enactment should be respected everywhere. Unquestionably it was flattering to the vanity of the actor, who is not of those ranked as the great dramatic geniuses of the age, to find that his autograph gives enhanced value to the flag, but a proper respect for Old Glory and what it stands for would stamp this sort of thing as a degradation instead of an honor to the stars and stripes. Of course every one will be glad that a deserving charity profited by the sale of the flags, but how much more creditable it would have been had the banners not been debased to a vulgar advertising purpose.

The establishment of parliamentary government in countries accustomed to autocracy is not easy. Russia is having trouble over the problem. In Persia the people are accusing the leaders of the reform movement of seeking selfish ends, and they have no confidence in the proceedings of their house of representatives. In Montenegro, where the first parliament was recently organized, the legislators voted lack of confidence in the government the other day, the cabinet resigned, and parliament adjourned.

As illustrating the prodigious size of the crops of 1906 it is announced that the yield in Iowa, the leading state in this specialty, was 388,348,929 bushels of corn, of a total value of \$330,495,000. The output is 42,477,000 bushels greater than that of 1905, and more than 85,000,000 in excess of that of 1904. Much of the increase is credited to improved methods which have followed the instruction given by practical teachers who have gone about the state showing the farmers how science could help to better harvests.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE

THE SENATORIAL BATTLE IS A VERY HOT SCRIMMAGE JUST NOW.

GOVERNOR THROWS BOMB

Mr. Atwood Makes a Statement—Boodle Charges Create a Very Strained Situation.

The Organization.
The legislature of 1907, both houses convened at noon, nearly all members present. Clerk Elbert V. Chilson called the senate to order, and after prayer by the Rev. W. H. French Justice Carpenter administered the oaths of office. In the house, Clerk Charles S. Pierce brought down the gavel at noon sharp, the Rev. Mr. Gray offered prayer and Chief Justice McAlway administered the oaths of office to members at a time. Both houses then adjourned until 2:30 p.m., when they reassembled and proceeded to elect officers.

The Inaugural speeches of Lieut. Gov. Kelley and Speaker Whelan were in general terms. Lieut. Gov. Kelley brought special emphasis on the fact that the members must represent public and not private interests, and should heed the people rather than the lobby.
"Gentlemen," said he, "we begin to write the record of a new legislature. What that record shall be depends, in my judgment, very largely upon how well we understand and remember the capacity in which we have been commissioned here and the source of the authority under which we act here. It must be borne in mind at all times that ours is a representative government; that we are here in a purely representative capacity; that we are here exercising certain powers because the people have placed us here and clothed us with those powers, and not otherwise."
Stories of the corrupt use of money to influence legislators are easily the great features of the final hours of the campaign, and that they command belief is not to be denied or even ignored. For this reason two very important statements were made public Tuesday, the stories of the use of money in the senatorial fight having become too widespread to pass unnoticed. These statements follow, the first coming from Gov. Warner, who is confined to his bed in his Farmington home.

Governor's Statement.

From what has transpired I am now unalterably opposed to the election of Mr. Hill as United States senator. For some time there have been rumors, some of which at least deserve careful investigation before they are discussed, that there have been improper methods used in advancing his candidacy.

I have heard more of these rumors from Mr. Atwood than from any other person. I believe the people of this state would, if given an opportunity, unite with me in my desire to rebuke such methods as are alleged. I cannot understand how Mr. Atwood can be for Mr. Hill when at his last interview with me, less than a week ago, he emphatically and unqualifiedly stated to me that the methods employed to advance Mr. Hill's candidacy had been such that he could not support him under any circumstances, and at that time he agreed to stand with me in my opposition to such methods. I have learned of nothing since that time to change my mind, or which should have changed the mind of Mr. Atwood.

I exceedingly regret my inability to be in the capitol tonight.

If I could be there and there should be any danger of Mr. Hill's election, under the circumstances I should certainly plead with every member of the legislature to delay the matter for one week for further consideration and above all that the members might again talk the matter over with their constituents.

No honest man would suffer at such adjournment, and no others need any protection at the hands of the Republican party.

Mt. Atwood's Statement.

Railroad Commissioner Atwood made this signed statement:

"I discussed with the governor some rumors regarding the use of improper methods said to have been used to advance Mr. Hill's candidacy. The governor and I agreed that, should there be any evidence of any improper use of money, the matter should be investigated; that it would be the duty of the governor to proceed with the investigation, and that I was willing and glad to assist him in any way I could at this or at any other time.

"The governor must have misunderstood my conversation, if he reached the conclusion that I had stated to him that I could not support Mr. Hill under any circumstances. The impression I desired to convey to him was that I would not under any circumstances support Mr. Hill's candidacy, and that I was willing and glad to assist him in any way I could at this or at any other time.

"As to the governor's statement that he had heard nothing from me to change his mind on this matter, I wish to emphasize the fact that he has been sick and there has been no opportunity to confer with him. After a personal investigation, however, I have satisfied myself that the rumors were entirely unfounded."

Clarence J. Meers, of Kalamazoo, has been appointed deputy secretary of state to succeed Chas. S. Pierce, who becomes clerk of the house.

The Brazilian government has ordered six motor boats for its navy from a St. Joseph company. They will be 25 to 30 feet in length.

The winter furniture exposition is on in Grand Rapids. Prices will be higher than ever before, nearly all lines having announced increases of from 5 to 15 per cent within the past few months. Extra demand and the increased cost of raw material are announced as the causes.

ADJOURNED.

Senate and House Hear Message and Caucus Goes Over.

The house and senate met at 2 p. m. Thursday in joint session to hear the inaugural message of Gov. Warner, which was read by Maj. Arthur Lord, secretary to the governor.

Adjournment was taken to Wednesday the 9th inst., to give the president of the senate and the speaker of the house time to prepare committees.

The senatorial candidates agreed that the caucus should go over for a week as the governor wished legislators to have a chance to confer with their constituents. It is apparent that no legislative investigation of the stories that money had been improperly used in the senatorial contest will be made, at least not until the convening of the caucus. Arthur Hill denounces the whole matter as a political farce, based upon wild stories and vague rumors, and even he will not ask for a formal investigation.

The Caster Case.

Horace L. Chapman, of Columbus, O., coal operator and former Democratic candidate for governor of Ohio, has refused to join with others in asking that the sentence of death in the electric chair, passed on Fred Caster, the Flint youth, be commuted to life imprisonment. It was while burglarizing Chapman's house that Caster killed an officer. He says that it is up to the board of pardons and to the governor. The opinion is said to be quite generally entertained in Columbus that they will not interfere with the sentence which is to be executed January 25. If the case is taken to the United States supreme court sentence would again be deferred.

A Senatorial Rumor.

Word comes from Washington that President Roosevelt has been induced to declare privately his preference for Assistant Secretary of the Navy Truman H. Newberry as U. S. senator from Michigan. The story comes from Newberry's friends.

Although the fact thus far has only "leaked out," it is regarded by Michigan politicians who have watched the mysterious Newberry boom as only a premature publication of a scheme designed to stampede the legislative caucus at the proper time.

Meanwhile Newberry watchers are at work in Michigan, preparing for the "psychological moment."

Gaining Slowly.

Dr. H. J. Hartz, of Detroit, on his return from Farmington Saturday night, stated in reference to the health of Gov. Warner:

"Despite the enforced quiet and excellent nursing, the governor is progressing rather slowly toward recovery. Dr. Miller, his family physician, is in watchful and constant attendance. The patient's right bronchial tubes are still congested and give rise to some fever. In all likelihood Gov. Warner will not regain his full strength before two weeks from now."

Cars for Shippers.

The Pere Marquette railway has just sent into western Michigan no less than 2,000 empty freight cars to relieve the car shortage now prevailing. Chicago shippers wanted the cars sent east, but Receiver Harmon thought best that the road, as a purely Michigan institution, should attend to the wants of its own first.

MICHIGAN BREVITIES.

Arthur Hill has sent an open letter to Attorney General Bird demanding investigation of Gov. Warner's charges.

William C. McMillan was somewhat better Friday morning and improving steadily. The fever has entirely gone, and he expects to be out in a few days.

The Grand Rapids Gas Light Co. had a surplus last year of \$132,103.84 from net earnings of \$247,754. The report was filed with the city clerk in compliance with the city charter.

Outdoor life brought a complete cure to Dr. F. E. Pitcher, of Battle Creek, the former G. T. R. surgeon, who, some months ago, broke down and was taken to Kalamazoo asylum.

While fishing in Macataw bay Wednesday four men, H. Bliss, H. Bliss, Jr., Peter Smith and E. Hiller, were marooned on an ice field. They were rescued by two men in a rowboat.

Talent H. Camp, of Grand Rapids, has been notified that his father, Frederick S. Camp, agent of the largest cotton mill in the world, took his life by shooting himself at Norwich, Conn.

A \$25,000 monument to the memory of Gen. Custer will probably be erected in Montana. The city council, business men and civic society are co-operating.

The monument is to be placed on the site of the Custer homestead on Monroe street.

The township of Meridian is getting rich as the result of the boom at Pike Lake, where many Lansing people built cottages last year. Others will build next summer, and the taxes of the regular residents of the township are gratifyingly low.

Since June, 1905, the state employment bureau has found jobs for 13,000 persons. Applications for employment were received from 1,985 persons and all were filled except 194. At the same time 15,920 applications from employers were received, and of these only 3,129 were not filled.

Acella Briggs is suing her twin sister, Amelia, for \$1,946, which she claims is due her for her services for 278 weeks. They live in Cortland township.

Albina Zarzi, a Hungarian, who was recently sent to Kalamazoo asylum, will be deported. While in the asylum it was necessary to keep him in a strait-jacket.

The biggest cock fight in Jackson county history, one in which it is said that 150 battles were fought, New Year's eve, Oscar York, a well-known sporting man, was stabbed in the wrist and face. An artery was severed and he narrowly escaped bleeding to death.

THE LATEST HOME NEWS

ALL NEGRO REGIMENTS ORDERED TO THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

TREATY WITH GERMANY

The Philadelphia Bomb Thrower And His Antecedents—Suits Amount To Millions—Various Matters.

Their Turn To Go.

The Ninth and Tenth cavalry and the Twenty-fifth infantry, including all the negro soldiers in the regular army in this country, have been ordered to prepare for service in the Philippines, and will sail at different times between March 5 and June 5. The only other regiment composed of negroes, the Twenty-fourth infantry, is now in the Philippine service.

Other troops ordered to the Philippines are the Sixth cavalry and the Eighteenth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth infantry. The troops which will be relieved by the sending of these new regiments will be the Fourth, Seventh and Eighth cavalry and the Ninth, Thirteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Nineteenth infantry.

It was stated by Maj. Gen. Bell, chief of staff, that the negro regiments are being sent to the Philippines because it is their turn to go, and not because of any desire to get them out of the United States at this time.

For Reciprocity.

Some people who called at the White House Saturday brought away the somewhat startling information that the president will shortly send a message to congress, asking for legislation authorizing a complete reciprocity treaty with Germany, and the theory is that he is to do this to hold off a movement now pending between Germany and Canada for a treaty which will enable the German empire to get grain and meat products from the Dominion to replace those which are expected to cease coming from the United States March 1, when the present trade relations between Germany and the United States will either have to be settled or cease in a very large measure by reason of the expiration of the agreement between the two countries extending the old tariff until that date.

The president will send in his message, it is stated, as soon as the commission now in Germany to arrange a trade agreement, reports.

Bomb Thrower Steele.

Two men dead, a score of others injured, two of whom may die, and the beautiful interior of a bank building left in ruins, is the result of a bomb which dropped in the Fourth Street National bank by a man who had been indicted for \$5,000, for which he could show no collateral. The identity of the perpetrator of the outrage is wrapped in mystery, for he was blown to pieces by his own engine of death. Nothing is left to tell who he is but a bunch of 10 keys found in a fragment of clothing. A plate on the ring holding the keys bore the name of "R. Steele, Garner, Iowa." The other man killed by the explosion was W. Z. McLean, the cashier of the bank.

Reports from Iowa say that Robert Steele, the man who bears a name identical to that found on the name plate of the Philadelphia bomb thrower, left Garner, Ia., six years ago. Steele failed in 1899 and removed with his family to Chicago and later went east, supposedly to Philadelphia. While in Chicago he was on the police force. He was 30 years old when he left Garner. His wife and family are now said to live at 1770 North Ashland avenue, Chicago. His father, now dead, was an active Socialist. The family of Rola Steele live at 1770 North Ashland avenue, Chicago. Mrs. Irene Steele, the widow, received a telegram from Philadelphia saying that her husband was seriously injured. It is not known Steele sent the telegram and Mrs. Steele does not yet know that her husband is dead.

To Force a Receivership.

The lumbermen of the northwest are going to try to put the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern railroads into the hands of a receiver and to swamp them with more than 1,000 demand suits aggregating more than \$15,000,000. This statement was made at the reciprocal demurrage convention by Victor H. Beckman, secretary of the Pacific Coast Lumbermen's association, during a speech.

Typhoid Scourge.

Thirty-five new cases of typhoid fever were reported to the authorities of Scranton, Pa., Saturday, for the 24 hours ending at noon. This is more than three times the number of cases yesterday when the lowest number in almost a month was recorded. The total number of cases since the outbreak is nearing the 1,000 mark, and is, indeed, lacking only a few of it.

Some twenty women are forming volunteer nursing companies to care for the fever victims.

Menominee firemen rescued 20 persons, including a boy ill with typhoid fever, from the top floors of two three-story tenement houses which were destroyed. The property loss is estimated at \$50,000.

George Gesell, of Monroe, aged 42, father of five children, has disappeared since last week, when he sold his home to the D. M. & T. Short Line for \$2,000.

Richard Cox fell from a Battle Creek building and landed on his head. He still lives, but he is insane since the fall. The fact that he lives has amazed the doctors.

St. Joseph has smashed all records in its career as a Gretna Green, and when County Clerk Miners closed its records for the year of 1906 his books totaled 1,763 marriage licenses, or 215 more licenses than were issued last year.

Cattle Go Mad.

Smith's Crossing, five miles beyond Freehold, Saginaw county, is in a turmoil of excitement over an epidemic of hydrophobia. Eight weeks ago a mad dog came down the river road from the direction of Midland biting everything in its path. It was finally dispatched by a farmer, whom it attacked, after a fierce battle. So vicious was the dog that the farmer's horses would not pass it in the road, trembling in their tracks. He beat it off and later with a neighbor killed the animal.

Within the last few days every dog in the hamlet has gone mad, four foaming-mouthed canines being killed in one day. Three dogs belonging to one man went mad from hydrophobia and five cows owned by another villager have become rabid. The cows went rearing and plunging about the barnyard, bellowing with all their might and biting each other. It is believed that many other cattle and hogs, and possibly horses, have been bitten.

Saginaw Fire.

Wednesday afternoon one of the fiercest fires Saginaw has had in a long time destroyed \$40,000 worth of property in the manufacturing plant and storerooms of Morley Bros. The fire started from a spark from an empty wheel falling into a pall of asphalt, and as the flames spread rapidly and the building was stored with large quantities of dry hickory and other lumber packed in solidly, it was impossible to control the blaze. It took the department five hours of the hardest kind of work before it was subdued.

The building was a three-story brick with four store fronts, and was filled with lumbering tools and raw materials. The loss on the stock is estimated at \$30,000, and on the machinery and building \$10,000. The property is covered by \$12,500 insurance.

Killed the Prefect.
Maj. Gen. Von der Launitz, prefect of police of St. Petersburg, was shot and killed by a young man at the Institute of Experimental Medicine Thursday afternoon.

Von der Launitz, at the invitation of Prince Peter Alexandrovich, duke of Oldenburg, brother-in-law of the emperor, was attending the consecration of the institute chapel. During the services, and while mingling with several high officials, the prefect of police was approached from behind by the assassin, who drew a revolver and shot him in the brain. Von der Launitz fell forward and died in two minutes. As the assassin turned to flee one of the officers present drew his saber and cut him down and killed him. His identity is unknown.

Gen. Von der Launitz succeeded Gen. Trenoff as prefect of St. Petersburg on the death of the famous reactionary a few months ago.

Hearst Quits.

William R. Hearst reiterated, at a meeting of the city committee of the Independence league of New York, that he will never again be a candidate for office.

"But I am as much interested as ever—and even more interested than ever—in the promotion of the principles of the Independence league," he said. "It seems to me that as patriotic citizens, we need not care particularly what individuals put those principles and reforms into effect as long as they are being accomplished."

"I believe that the league will go forward to further and greater achievements, and I heartily offer you, my friends, my best services as a fellow worker to those ends."

Found His Mangled Body.

James Needham, aged 14, was cut to pieces by a freight train while crossing the tracks near his home, at Smith's Creek. His father, Robert, a section boss for the Grand Trunk, suspected something wrong from the prolonged absence of the boy, from the house and went out to investigate. Beside the track he found the lad's cap and some distance away his rubbers. Then he found the body, minus one leg, on one side of the track and the head on the other.

He had been talking with his father in the Grand Trunk round house in Detroit and was home for a visit.

Will Investigate.
There is no longer much, if any, doubt that the senate will order an immediate investigation of the discharge of the negro troops of the Twenty-fifth infantry on account of their alleged participation in the "shooting up" of the town of Brownsville, Tex.

Senator Foraker says he expects his resolution to be adopted soon after congress reconvenes.

It has been expected that Senator Lodge would oppose the inquiry, but he has recently stated that he would not do so.

Married Young.

Because his son, John, 18 years of age, eloped with and was married to Miss Mamie Delaney, aged 45, Wednesday, Jacob Brillhart, of Muskegon, threatens to have the marriage annulled. The couple were wed in Grand Rapids, but returned to that city and drove through the streets with a pair of white horses, scattering roses to let everyone know that they were married. Mamie attempted suicide two weeks ago and disappointment in love was given as the cause.

Fire in the Ellsworth mine, No. 3, Cokesburg, Pa., owned by the Lackawanna Coal Co., yesterday, caused \$400,000 loss.

Dr. H. F. Thomas, former congressman from the fourth district, will succeed Dr. W. W. Mills, who died suddenly on Christmas day, as surgeon of the Michigan Soldiers' home.

George Scoble, of Standish, aged nearly 90, the oldest Orangeman in northern Michigan was stricken down with paralysis, while visiting his son in West Bay City and cannot survive.

Gov. Warner has appointed R. V. Worman, of Detroit, and William Wildcomb, of Grand Rapids, delegates to the convention of the extension of the foreign commerce of the United States. The convention is to be held at Washington beginning January 4.

MICHIGAN EVENTS NOTED

DOYLE, WHO SHOT HIS WIFE AND HER SISTER, BECOMES PENITENT.

CHILD WIFE'S HARD LIFE

A Troubled Home Leads to a Separation, and Possibly a Double Murder.

Patrick Doyle's Story.

Patrick F. Doyle, who Thursday afternoon attempted to kill his wife, Louise Doyle, and her sister, Mrs. Mary Bondy, in the main hall of the Home of the Friendless, was in a penitent mood Friday morning, after spending the night praying in his gloomy little cell that his victims might recover. He blamed drink for his murderous rage. Doyle is 36 years old and a Cheboygan, Mich., lumberman. As a result of his crime, Mrs. Mary Bondy lies at the point of death in Harper hospital, with a bullet in her lungs. Mrs. Doyle is in the same ward with a bullet in her shoulder. Doyle says:

"I don't know why I did it," he said. "I must have been crazy. Nothing was further from my mind when I came to town and I only carried the revolver because I had been in the habit of doing so in the woods. When she told me that she would not go back with me and that I could not see the children, everything went black before me and I don't remember much until the police came."

"She always had a good home and everything she wanted. But her sister was always trying to get her to do wrong. They went out nights and drank and did everything that was bad, and of course, I objected. But still I didn't mean to kill her. I hope to heaven she gets better, no matter what becomes of me."

"I always loved the little ones, and God knows what will become of them now. While she remained in Cheboygan, even after she left me, I gave her money."

The shooting was deliberate and long considered. The would-be slayer stood over his wife threatening her with the revolver for nearly five minutes, while the terrified woman knelt on the floor and begged for mercy. Finally he shot her and followed by shooting Mrs. Bondy. He also threatened Mary Dawson, a maid at the home, and Mrs. Effie Moore, the mother of the two children, Pearl, aged 9, and Frank, 6, in the home on December 26. Doyle followed his wife here, arriving Sunday. He tried to effect a reconciliation, and it was his failure to induce his wife to return with him that brought on the shooting, although the immediate cause of the terrible deed was the demand of the mother that he not see the children again at the home.

Doyle was but 26 and his bride a child of 16 when he led her to the altar in the little church in Cheboygan. He was an ardent lover but, according to the sobbing story of Mrs. Doyle, a cruel and hardly passed when he began to treat her. Then little Pearl came as an olive branch to the troubled home. But it was not for long that the husband restrained himself, and his attitude towards his wife became worse.

Last July the woman decided she could stand it no longer, and left the home, after a bitter quarrel, taking with her the two children. For several months she struggled, trying to support herself and the children by sewing. Mrs. Cheboygan offered little, and three months ago she came to Detroit to the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Bondy, 50 Porter street. She secured employment with Mrs. Bondy at the Cadillac as a parlor maid, but finding that her work gave her no time to look after the children, placed them in the Home of the Friendless, December 26.

Refused the Reward.
Garry Lansing, a mill employe, was going to work early one morning recently. Half a mile from the depot he discovered a sliding switch had been wrecked by a freight. As he looked at it he heard the northbound flyer whistle for Henderson, four miles away. This train makes no stops between Saginaw and Owosso, running at the rate of a mile a minute.

Lansing ran to the home of the foreman and gave the warning. The foreman seized a flag and reached a point beyond the broken switch just in time. The train was stopped within a few feet of it.

"For services rendered, \$10," was a voucher sent by the Michigan Central to Lansing to sign. The train aver refused to attach his name to it.

"If they had sent me only a letter of thanks, that I could have shown to my friends," he says, "I would have been well pleased."

A divorce was granted Thursday to Mabel Cook, wife of John H. Cook. The couple were acquainted only 15 days when they married and the bride was only 15 years old.

Elmer Eaton, of Pontiac, has returned from New Orleans. He brought back with him a piece of the old slave-block in the St. Louis hotel, the sight of which is said to have stirred Lincoln to liberate the colored race.

The military board has decided to increase the maximum strength of companies of the Michigan National Guard from 65 to 80 men.

A puppy pulling at a tablecloth upset a lamp at the home of Arthur C. Baxter on Wednesday, and before the firemen arrived the home was ruined.

Having broken his parole by acquiring a "jag" New Year's eve, Stephen Lapham surrendered himself at the state prison Tuesday. He was paroled three months ago after serving one year of a one to ten-year sentence for assault with intent to do great bodily harm. Lapham drove to the prison in a cab.

BIRD—HILL.

Attorney-General's Reply to Mr. Hill's Request for Investigation.

Atty. Gen. Bird sent the following reply to Mr. Hill, who had asked an investigation of Gov. Warner's recent statement:

"Dear Sir—I have given careful consideration to your communication of the 4th inst., requesting that I investigate the charges referred to in the statement of Gov. Warner to the effect that there have been improper methods used in advancing your candidacy for the office of United States senator."

"I agree with you that the charges are serious and that the public should be informed whether they are true or false. But I am obliged to say to you at the outset, that I question my authority to investigate the matter, certainly in the absence of any definite information as a basis therefor."

"If the governor and his friends, any state officer, member of the legislature, or any other citizen will disclose to me any tangible proof of corrupt methods in advancing the interests of any candidate for United States senator, I will use my authority to the fullest extent to investigate the matter and lay the result before the legislature."

Pugnacious Tuesday.

Miss Ella Preston, a teacher in the Barrytown school, has been convicted of assault and battery on Leonard Campbell, son of Postmaster James L. Campbell. Justice Swift let her off with payment of the costs. Miss Preston is the young woman who horsewhipped Campbell on the street in front of the postoffice. She told him that she had been informed that young Campbell and his mother were preparing scandal against her. She followed up whipping him by a fight with Mrs. Campbell.

Denies Hunting.

The defense of Jay Ellis, of Long Island, Iosco county, charged under law providing a severe penalty for a hunter who shall inadvertently kill a person, is that he was hunting when he killed a man. He tells that he was carrying a gun home from a field where he and his brother had been husking corn, and that he shot at a point where he had previously seen bear tracks. The jury disagreed on the first trial, but Prosecutor Rawden announces a second trial. A precedent is involved in the case.

Frightfully Mangled.

Five men dead, five dying and two missing is believed to make up the list of victims in the explosion of a mill of the Ladin-Rand Powder works in Pleasant Prairie, Wis., Saturday. Supt. Ralph Anderson is one of the missing. Little doubt exists that he and the other missing men were completely torn to pieces. The dead are 80 frightfully mangled as to make identification impossible and the injured, among whom deaths are expected momentarily, are burned beyond recognition.

Railroad Wrecks.

Rep. Morrill, of Pennsylvania, introduced a resolution in the house for an investigation by congress of recent railroad wrecks. The resolution states that the wrecks are supposed to be due to overwork of employes and authorities of five members who shall have full power to subpoena witnesses and require corporations to furnish records, etc.

Wm. B. De Costa, the negro tailor accused of perjury in the Hartje divorce trial at Pittsburg, has been found guilty.

THE MARKETS

Detroit—Extra dried beefs and hams, \$5.00; extra steers and heifers, \$4.25; good steers and heifers, \$4.00; good hams, \$5.00; good corn, \$2.50; good oats, \$2.00; good clover, \$3.00; good timothy, \$3.00; good alfalfa, \$3.00; good soybeans, \$3.00; good peas, \$3.00; good beans, \$3.00; good lentils, \$3.00; good chickpeas, \$3.00; good mung beans, \$3.00; good pinto beans, \$3.00; good navy beans, \$3.00; good lima beans, \$3.00; good kidney beans, \$3.00; good butter beans, \$3.00; good pea beans, \$3.00; good black beans, \$3.00; good white beans, \$3.00; good green beans, \$3.00; good yellow beans, \$3.00; good red beans, \$3.00; good brown beans, \$3.00; good black beans, \$3.00; good white beans, \$3.00; good green beans, \$3.00; good yellow beans, \$3.00; good red beans, \$3.00; good brown beans, \$3.00; good

—Proposed Disposition of
Primary School Fund.

the enactment of the very general demand that private banks under state supervision cannot be denied. Two years ago when a making such provision, was passed in the house of representatives and defeated in the senate by a very narrow margin, apparently the only ones who came to oppose the measure were persons who were either directly or indirectly interested in private banks. It cannot be successfully gained that these so-called private banks are private as far as their relations to the public are concerned only to the extent that they are permitted to handle the funds of

people of our primary schools or curial schools, of their operations and usefulness. They are the peoples' colleges and would have our most fostering care. I do not, however, believe it to be for their best good to relieve the people of their share in the cost of their maintenance. The persons are made to be self-supporting, which costs them money more than in those objects to whose maintenance they make no contribution. I, therefore, commend to your careful consideration the advisability of submitting to the electors of the state, at the forthcoming general election in April,

deducted the company in question for collecting the higher rate. I therefore renew the recommendation just mentioned.

The presence of lobbyists, either private individuals or departments, state not to be tolerated the message says.

Governor Warner concludes by praising that they have been faithful, energetic and capable in the discharge of their duties. He renews his promise to devote his best efforts to the interests of the citizenship of the state.

Capital \$100,000; State Savings bank, Harrison, \$20,000, and Presque Isle County Savings bank, Rogers City, \$10,000.

Notaries' Fees Are Heavy.

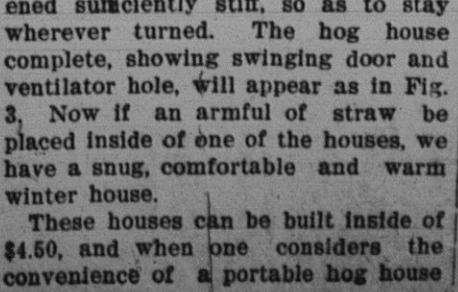
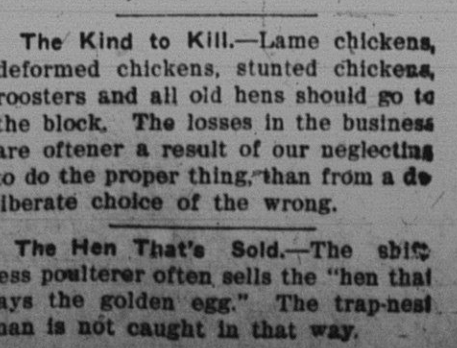
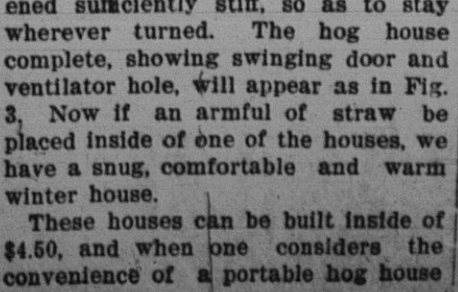
Gov. Warner has attached his name to a bill for the purpose of reducing the 2,898 commissions to notaries published during the last year. The revenue from these was about \$1,100 less than salary.

ened sufficiently still, so as to stay wherever turned. The hog house complete, showing swinging door and ventilator hole, will appear as in Fig. 3. Now if an armful of straw be placed inside of one of the houses, we have a snug, comfortable and warm winter house.

These houses can be built inside of \$4.50, and when one considers the convenience of a portable hog house

The Kind to Kill.—Lame chickens, deformed chickens, stunted chickens, roosters and all old hens should go to the block. The losses in the business are often a result of our neglecting to do the proper thing, than from a deliberate choice of the wrong.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. C. Spiraugle was in Jackson one day last week.

Mrs. E. Foster, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Miss Marriott, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Miss Pauline Gribach was the guest of Jackson relatives last week.

Miss Minnie Schumacher was the guest of Ann Arbor relatives Sunday.

Miss Ola Wackenhut, of Jackson, was the guest of her parents here Sunday.

Miss Lena Miller spent Friday and Saturday with her brother in Jackson.

Mrs. Edward Morrissey, of Detroit, is spending this week with her mother.

Miss Margaret Miller left this morning for Chicago, where she will spend some time.

M. J. Howe and wife spent several days of the past week with Battle Creek relatives.

Mr. Clark, business manager of the Ann Arbor Daily News was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

F. E. Taylor, of Jackson, spent last Friday at the home of his parents, Wm. Taylor and wife.

Adolph Eisen and wife, of Detroit, were guests at the home of George Wackenhut, Sunday.

Jacob Haarer, of Detroit, commissioner of the board of public works, was a guest at the home of M. J. Noyes and family Sunday.

Geo. A. Runciman and wife spent several days of the past week with relatives of Mrs. Runciman in Tompkins, Jackson county.

Joseph Hamp, of Tompkins, is spending some time at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. A. Runciman.

Mrs. Mary Hooker and Nellie Murphy, of Coldwater, Mrs. K. McClain and daughter and Miss Nellie Hennan, of Jackson, were guests at the home of C. Spiraugle, Sunday.

CORRESPONDENCE.

LIMA CENTER.

Arl Guerin was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Frank Webb spent Sunday at Grass Lake.

Miss Amanda Lulick was in Detroit Monday.

Arl Guerin and John Grau attended the district convention of the K. of P. in Ypsilanti Monday evening.

There was a large crowd at the masquerade dance held at the town hall Friday night, over seventy couples took part in the dance. Miss Louise Barth and Julius Strietter took the prize for the prettiest costumes and Miss Staebler and Henry Niehaus for the most comical.

SOUTHWEST SYLVAN.

Mary Merkel spent Sunday at home.

Otto Weber has accepted a position in Detroit.

Mrs. E. W. Flak is visiting her parents in Norville.

Elmer Loomis is spending the winter in Los Angeles, Cal.

Carl Cooper, of Grass Lake, spent one day last week with Elba Gage.

Clifford Wortley, who has been visiting at Lake Odessa, has returned home.

Miss Bertha Merkel spent several days of the past week with C. Honick, of Lima.

George Lehman and wife, of Chelsea, and Fred Lehman, of Manchester, spent New Year's with their parents.

NORTH LAKE.

Mrs. Inez Hadley is very sick with tonsillitis.

R. Whallan is breaking in a fine four year old colt.

A letter from Weedsport, New York, tells of good sleighing there.

David Schultz and wife spent Wednesday at the home of Floyd Hinkley.

E. L. Glenn and son spent Sunday evening returning to Stockbridge in the evening.

Elbridge Gordon, son of Elder Gordon, of Dexter, is dangerously sick at his home in that village. He has been attending school here living at the home of R. S. Whallan.

James Hyde, of Merricourt, a merchant of that place, also a large farmer, is the guest of his brother-in-law, Geo. Webb, for a few days. Mr. Hyde will visit relatives in Canada before returning to Dakota.

NORTH SHARON.

Quarterly meeting was held in the church here Sunday.

Miss Alta Lemm spent several days of the past week in Chelsea.

Wm. Alber and family spent Sunday at the home of Albert Troitz.

Mrs. John Irwin and son, Max, spent Sunday with the formers mother.

Gertrude Cook, of Grass Lake, visited her grandparents here Saturday.

Mrs. Milton Halley and son, Fred, called at the home of J. Heim Saturday.

Mrs. Peckins and Elmer Gage called at the homes of G. Butler and W. Dorr Sunday.

The W. H. M. S. will meet with Mrs. M. E. Keeler Wednesday, January 16. Everybody invited.

Ashley Holden and wife attended the Musbach reunion held at the home of H. J. Lehman Friday.

SHARON.

Mrs. R. A. Cooke is ill.

Ruben Heselachwerdt is on the sick list.

C. C. Dorr spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Cramer, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Holden.

The L. A. S. of Rowe's Corners church met with Mrs. Theo. Keoble Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Esch has gone to Ann Arbor to have an operation for appendicitis.

Rev. George Koehler assisted by Mr. Miller is conducting revival meeting at Rowe's corners.

Mrs. C. C. Dorr and daughter and the Misses Mamie and Florence Reno were in Jackson Saturday.

The home of Fred Lehman was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on New Year's. Among the guests present were: Jas. and Robert Struthers of this place, George Lehman and wife, of Chelsea, Miss Emma Reno, of Freedom and Fred Lehman Jr., of Manchester.

LYNDON CENTER.

Joseph Clark spent the first of the week with Jackson relatives.

Little Agnes Young, who has been sick with pneumonia is recovering.

Miss Mary Hentley, of Sandusky, O., spent Friday with Mrs. John Clark.

Patrick Savage, of Big Rapids, is visiting at the home of M. Harker.

T. McKune, of Chelsea, spent several days of the past week with his brother John.

John Clark is attending the meeting

of the board of supervisors in Ann Arbor this week.

Mrs. Martin, of Ann Arbor, is in attendance on her brother, John McKune, who is still very low.

There are some cases of scarlet fever in the northeast part of the township and we understand that school district No. 10 is closed in consequence for the present.

On Monday evening, January 7, another surprise was sprung on Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McIntee by a host of their friends. Mrs. McIntee was the recipient of a beautiful parlor lamp at the hands of their numerous visitors. Good music was in attendance and dancing was indulged in by the young folks. A fine lunch was served and in a social way it was an event which will long be remembered by the host and hostess and their numerous friends. The occasion was the 25th anniversary of their marriage.

On Tuesday evening, January 1, a number of friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Harker to the number of about 50 perpetrated a surprise upon that worthy couple, it being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Harker. The visitors carried all things necessary for an elegant lunch, which was served in due time. The friends of Mrs. Harker presented her with a beautiful brooch. The evening was spent in playing cards and other games, and all together it was a very enjoyable social and friendly gathering.

SOUTHWEST MANCHESTER.

Mrs. L. Watkins is quite ill at present.

Mrs. Charles Adams, of Lansing, is at the old home.

Mrs. Wesley Noggle and son were in Jackson Saturday.

Schumacher Brothers entertained a party of friends Friday evening.

Richard Green is very ill. Mrs. H. Clark, of Detroit, is caring for him.

Milton Sackett, of Clinton, spent the first of the week with friends here.

Miss Gladys Matteson began teaching in district No. 5 Jackson, county, Monday.

H. Hermen and wife attended the funeral of a friend in Manchester Monday.

Wm. Payne and wife, of Cleveland, Ohio, are guests at the home of Grant Sutton.

Several people from here attended a party at the home of L. Benedict Wednesday evening.

E. Pierce began teaching again in

district No. 4, after a holiday vacation. He is well liked by all.

Mrs. Mary Green and G. M. Sutton and Gladys and Everett Matteson were in Jackson Saturday.

Miss Ruth Herman and Olive Sutton will go to the quarterly meeting at Reading Friday as delegate for the C. E. society, Iron Creek.

Bora, Tuesday, January 8, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eisenbeiser, of Sylvan, a son.

Rev. A. A. Schen, pastor of St. Paul's church, will deliver a sermon next Sunday morning for the children and young people.

There will be a box social at the home of Philip Schweinfurth Friday evening, January 18, for the benefit of the school library. All are invited.

There are indications that there will be little change in the railroad assessments this year. The rate of taxation will probably also remain practically unchanged.

The January numbers of the American Boy, in the language of the boys, "a hammer." It is full of excellent reading matter from cover to cover, that is of interest to the boys and girls of every family.

From January 1, 1906, to December 31, 1906, Geo. K. Chapman, from 155 hens, taking the average market price into consideration for eggs during the year realized \$200. Who says hens do not pay on the farm?

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Highest Cash Price Paid for Old Iron, Lead, Copper, Zinc, Hides, Pelts and Rags. Old Rubber 7c per pound. See us before you sell.

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OF
Foreign and Domestic Woolens

All Woolens of exceptional quality and style, all in suitable quantity to judge style and weave. No Sample Book or Cards.

300 Different Styles

Of Suits, Trousers, Fancy Vesting, Top Coats and Overcoats. Our assortment of odd trousers ranging from \$4.00 to \$6.00 is the largest ever shown in any city compared to ours. We are also showing a fine line of Woolens suitable for

Ladies' Tailor Made-to-Order Skirts.

For the next 30 days we shall endeavor to make such prices as to warrant steady employment for our large staff of workers, and to make our clothing manufacturing business the largest in this section of the country.

Yours for Good Clothing and Home Industry.

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YOU CAN ALWAYS GET THE BEST OF

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January Clearance Sale Now On.

Price Reductions made Without Regard to Original Cost or Actual Value.

We clean up all stock twice a year. This is not a sale of old goods at any old price, but strictly new goods at liberal reductions to clean up stock on hand. If we offer any goods carried over from previous seasons, we say so in our advertisement of those goods.

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All Dress Goods included in this Sale now have a "Red Tag" marked with the reduced price.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

\$2.00 Melrose and Panama, now 1.35
1.75 Panama, now 1.35
1.50 Wool Taffeta, Panama and Prune, 1.19
1.75 Bourette, (rough goods) 75c
Altman's best black Voile, 1.29
2.00 Broadcloth and Venetian, 1.50
1.50 Mohair 1.25
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18 pieces all new goods, different style weaves, Priestley's and Folwell's, regular 1.25 values, to clean up stock before inventory, now 98c

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Big lot of other colored dress goods reduced in price.

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36 inch Windham Black Taffeta, now 1.35
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All Colored Silks that were \$1.25, now .98
All Colored Silks that were \$1.00, now .75
All Colored Silks that were 85c, now .70

CLOAK AND SKIRT DEPT.
Second Floor.

The Price of Every Woman's and Misses' Coat in Stock Cut in Two.

We must sell out every garment before close of the season and this 1-2 price will do the business quick. All coats of this season's styles in all cloths, in blacks, colors and fancy checks, plaids and mixtures, to select from. Every coat perfect—a bargain not to be duplicated. Fur and fur lined coats excepted at these prices.

Woman's and Misses' \$10 Coats, This Sale \$5.00
Woman's and Misses' \$15 Coats, This Sale 7.50
Woman's and Misses' \$20 Coats, This Sale 10.00

All Furs, during this sale, at 1-4 Off Regular Price

All "Korrek" Dress Skirts, during January, 1-4 Off Regular Price

48 new, odd Dress skirts to be closed out this month at cost and some less than cost.
Prices Now \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50.
Every one a bargain at this price.

All Babies' and Children's Coats, age one year to 14 years, during this sale, 1-4 Off Regular Price

GINGHAMS AND WAISTINGS.

Notice just a few of the many things we shall offer during this January Clearance Sale, or until the lines are closed out.

20 pieces odd styles 12 1/2c and 15c Gingham, 7 1/2c
15c Floored Printed Waistings, 15c
15c Floored Printed Waistings, 12 1/2c
12 1/2c Floored Printed Waistings, 10c
Large size Gingham Aprons with bib, 25c

BLACK SATINE PETTICOATS.

We have a large assortment of these to close out during this sale.

\$2.50 Petticoats now \$1.50
2.00 Petticoats now 1.25
1.50 Petticoats now 1.00
1.25 Petticoats now .88
Outing Flannel Petticoats .75

WOMEN'S SHOES.

All Dorothy Dodd \$3.00 Shoes, \$2.25
All Dorothy Dodd \$3.50 Shoes, 2.50

All Ladies' Cotton Shirt Waists, During this Sale, 1-2 Regular Price

All Ladies' Silk Waists, black and colored, During this Sale, 1-4 Off Regular Price

All Baby Bonnets in silk or velvet, During this Sale, 1-2 Regular Price

SECOND FLOOR.

Every piece of Muslin Underwear, to clean up the stock at this time. Some pieces slightly mused and soiled, but every garment a bargain at these prices.

\$1.25 Women's Outing Gowns, now 98c
1.00 Women's Outing Gowns, now 75c
.85c Women's Outing Gowns, now 50c

Big lot of Women's Percale, Print and Floored House Wrappers, during sale, 75c

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

You choose during this sale of any Boy's or Men's Suit or overcoat in our stock at

1-1 Off Regular Price.

We also have a lot of Suits, only one or two of a kind that we will offer in three lots.

Priced at \$4.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50

Some of these Suits are worth double the price we ask for them.

DO YOU NEED A PAIR OF QDD PANTS?

We have selected about 200 pairs of Odd Pants that are mostly sizes 32 to 38 inch waists and marked them at prices that make them cheaper for you than cottonade pants. A great many of them are all wool.

Priced at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Come in and look them over.

RUGS.

Every large room size Rug greatly reduced in price during this Clearance Sale.

\$20.00 Rugs now \$15.00
22.50 Rugs now 18.50
30.00 Body Brussels now 25.00

All small Rugs at reduced prices.

Alexminster Rugs now 1.75

Regular price \$2.25 and \$2.50.

Remnants all wool Carpets, 2 yards to 10 yards in length, 50c yard

LACE CURTAINS.

All new goods this season. No old goods in this department.

All \$5.00 Lace Curtains, \$3.75
All 4.00 Lace Curtains, 3.00
All 3.50 Lace Curtains, 2.63

All 3.00 Lace Curtains, 2.25

All 2.50 Lace Curtains, 1.88

All 2.00 Lace Curtains, 1.50

All 1.50 Lace Curtains, 1.13

COTTON BED BLANKETS.

During this sale we shall make prices on these goods that will sell them quick.

65c Grey Blankets, 50c

\$1.00 Grey or Tan Blankets, \$1.10

1.39 Grey or Tan Blankets, 1.10

1.75 Extra Heavy Blankets, 1.48

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. C. Sprague was in Jackson one day last week.

Mrs. E. Foster, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Miss Marriott, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Miss Pauline Gibrach was the guest of Jackson relatives last week.

Miss Minnie Schumacher was the guest of Ann Arbor relatives Sunday.

Miss Ola Wackenhut, of Jackson, was the guest of her parents here Sunday.

Miss Lena Miller spent Friday and Saturday with her brother in Jackson.

Mrs. Edward Morrissey, of Detroit, is spending this week with her mother.

Miss Margaret Miller left this morning for Chicago, where she will spend some time.

M. J. Howe and wife spent several days of the past week with Battle Creek relatives.

Mr. Clark, business manager of the Ann Arbor Daily News was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

F. E. Taylor, of Jackson, spent last Friday at the home of his parents, Wm. Taylor and wife.

Adolph Eisen and wife, of Detroit, were guests at the home of George Wackenhut, Sunday.

Jacob Haarer, of Detroit, commissioner of the board of public works, was a guest at the home of M. J. Noyes and family Sunday.

Geo. A. Kunciman and wife spent several days of the past week with relatives of Mrs. Kunciman in Tompkins, Jackson county.

Joseph Hamp, of Tompkins, is spending some time at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. A. Kunciman.

Mrs. Mary Hooker and Nellie Murphy, of Coldwater, Mrs. K. McClellan and daughter and Miss Nellie Hennan, of Jackson, were guests at the home of C. Sprague, Sunday.

CORRESPONDENCE.

LIMA CENTER.

Arl Guerin was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Frank Webb spent Sunday at Grass Lake.

Miss Amanda Luick was in Detroit Monday.

Arl Guerin and John Grau attended the district convention of the K. of P.'s in Ypsilanti Monday evening.

There was a large crowd at the masquerade dance held at the town hall Friday night, over seventy couples took part in the dance. Miss Louise Barth and Julius Strieter took the prize for the prettiest costumes and Miss Staebler and Henry Niehaus for the most comical.

SOUTHWEST SYLVAN.

Mary Merkel spent Sunday at home.

Otto Weber has accepted a position in Detroit.

Mrs. E. W. Plisk is visiting her parents in Norville.

Elmer Loomis is spending the winter in Los Angeles, Cal.

Carl Cooper, of Grass Lake, spent one day last week with Elba Gage.

Clifford Wortley, who has been visiting at Lake Odessa, has returned home.

Miss Bertha Merkel spent several days of the past week with C. Honick, of Lima.

George Lehman and wife, of Chelsea, and Fred Lehman, of Manchester, spent New Year's with their parents.

NORTH LAKE.

Mrs. Inez Hadley is very sick with tonsillitis.

R. Whallan is breaking in a fine four year old colt.

A letter from Weedsport, New York, tells of good sleighing there.

David Schultz and wife spent Wednesday at the home of Floyd Hinkley.

E. L. Glenn and son spent Sunday here returning to Stockbridge in the evening.

Elbridge Gordon, son of Elder Gordon, of Dexter, is dangerously sick at his home in that village. He has been attending school here living at the home of R. S. Whallan.

James Hyde, of Merricourt, a merchant of that place, also a large farmer is the guest of his brother-in-law, Geo. Webb, for a few days. Mr. Hyde will visit relatives in Canada before returning to Daks a

NORTH SHARON.

Quarterly meeting was held in the church here Sunday.

Miss Alta Lemm spent several days of the past week in Chelsea.

Wm. Alber and family spent Sunday at the home of Albert Trotz.

Mrs. John Irwin and son, Max, spent Sunday with the former's mother.

Gertrude Cook, of Grass Lake, spent her grandparents here Saturday.

Mrs. Milton Halley called at the home of J. H. Meadames. Peckins and called at the homes of G. Dorr Sunday.

The W. H. M. S. will meet at M. E. Keeler Wednesday. Everybody invited.

Ashley Holden and wife. Muebach reunion held at H. J. Lehman Friday.

SHARON.

Mrs. R. A. Cooke is ill.

Ruben Heselischwerdt is ill.

C. C. Dorr spent Saturday in Arbor.

Mrs. Cramer, of Detroit, her sister, Mrs. A. L. Holt.

The J. A. S. of Rowe's met with Mrs. Theo. Ke.

Mrs. Wm. Esch has been visiting at Lake Odessa, has returned home.

Rev. George Koehler, Miller is conducting revival services.

Mrs. C. C. Dorr and Misses Maule and Flore in Jackson Saturday.

The home of Fred I scene of a very pleasant New Year's. Among sent were: Jas. and Rol this place, George Leim Chelsea, Miss Emma F. and Fred Lehman Jr.

LYNDON CE.

Joseph Clark spent week with Jackson, relatives.

Little Agnes Young sick with pneumonia is.

Miss Mary Heatley, spent Friday with Mrs.

Patrick Savage, of visiting at the home of T. McKune, of Chelsea days of the past week.

John Clark is attending

of the board of supervisors in Ann Arbor this week.

Mrs. Martin, of Ann Arbor, is in attendance on her brother, John M. Kane, who is still very low.

There are some cases of scarlet fever in the northeast part of the township and we understand that school district No. 10 is closed in consequence for the

district No. 4 after a holiday vacation. He is well liked by all.

Mrs. Mary Green and G. M. Sutton and Gladys and Everett Matteson were in Jackson Saturday.

Miss Ruth Herman and Olive Sutton will go to the quarterly meeting at Reading Friday as delegate for the C. E. society, Iron Creek.

Supplement.

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Sugar Beet Industry.

Labor Commissioner McLeod is preparing an exhaustive report upon the beet sugar industry, which will appear in his forthcoming annual report. It will be very complete in its details of the beet crop for the grower's standpoint, showing important gains in acreage and in yield, and also in quality, as the sugar percentage of this year's crop is the highest that we have attained. And the report will also deal elaborately with the process and product from the manufacturer's standpoint, this year's output setting a record in Michigan, and Michigan is the second state in the union in beet sugar production, surpassed only by California.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Constipation causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation, drastic physics, gripes, sickness, weakens the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulators act gently and cure constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

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COUNTY EVENTS.

The Prohibition party will hold a state convention in June, February 10.

Brighton will have a large singing celebration some time during the summer.

The new Catholic church in Conkerville will be ready for occupancy about one month.

Rev. Fr. Conerford, of Mackinac, left Tuesday of last week for an extended trip in Europe.

The next meeting of the Webster Farmers' Club will be held at the home of Geo. W. Merrill, Saturday, January 12.

The Rev. Manchester, pastor of the Manchester Universalist church, has resigned and the society is without a pastor.

The Brighton Argus of last week announces that the primary school of that place is closed on account of several cases of measles.

E. H. Ahrens, who recently purchased the Grass Lake News enlarged his paper last week. It is now an eight instead of a seven column quarto.

Mrs. Geo. H. Hindelang, of Hamilton, Canada, is at the home of her father, Addison Sayland, of Munising, assisting in taking care of him in his illness.

Jas. B. Ansell, president of the U. of M., observed his 78th birthday Monday by his usual routine work. He has been at the head of the U. of M. 35 years.

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Scott's Emulsion strengthens the body so that it can better withstand the danger of cold from changes of temperature.

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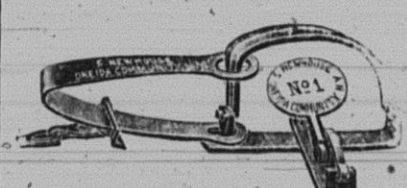
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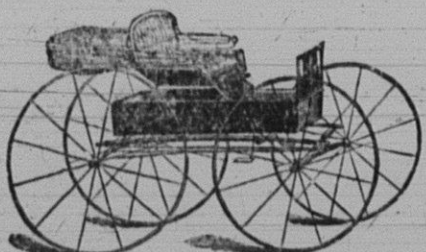
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LOCAL ITEMS.

St. Mary's parochial school opened Monday with a large attendance.

F. H. Baldwin is confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Born, Monday, January 7, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broesamle, a daughter.

Beginning next Monday evening, a week of prayer will be observed in the M. E. church.

The new officers of Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M. M., will be installed Friday evening, January 11th.

Installation of officers of the W. R. C. will be held Friday, January 11, at 2 p. m., at G. A. R. hall.

There will be a recess review and installation of candidates by the Lady Macabees, Wednesday evening, January 16.

Mrs. Adolph Alber, of McKinley street, is confined to her home by illness and reported to be in a very serious condition.

The Glazier Stove Company made their stockholders happy, January 1st, by the payment of eighteen thousand dollars in dividends.

One of the speakers on Washington's birthday in University hall, Ann Arbor, will be Governor-elect Chas. Hughes, of New York.

Hon. Jas. S. Gorman was in Lansing, Tuesday, where he argued the case of Zulke vs. the M. C. Railroad in the supreme court.

George H. Foster and wife, one evening of the past week, entertained at their home on Harrison street 16 people, who all answer to the name of Foster.

During the severe electric storm early Tuesday morning the brick smokestack of the recently burned flour mill was struck by lightning and badly damaged.

All members of the L. C. B. A. are requested to meet at their hall this evening. At this meeting the installation of the recently elected officers will take place.

Oliver Killen, of Lima, one day the past week sold \$220 worth of furs to John H. Alber. The young trapper caught all of the fur-bearing animals during the last seven weeks.

At the election of officers of Pomona Grange, held in Ypsilanti Grange hall, Tuesday, Geo. T. English, of Chelsea, was elected steward and Rudolph Hoppe, of Crooked Lake, assistant steward.

The Standard-Herald of last week was in error in its announcement of the laying of the corner-stone of the Emily Glazier Old People's Home. The date should have been January 17th, instead of the 7th.

"The Abiding Significance of the Old Testament," will be the morning subject at the Congregational church next Sunday. "How Simon, the Fisherman, became Peter, the Apostle," will be the evening theme.

Christian Science services are held regularly in the G. A. R. hall. Subject of lesson for next Sunday, "Sacrament." Golden Text: "Colossians, 2: 16, 17. Responsive Reading, Mark, 14: 12-17, 22-26. All our welcome.

Mrs. Alice Stimson and Rev. Joseph Ryerson gave a reception to their Sunday school classes Friday, evening at the M. E. parsonage. About 50 were present and they were assisted by Mesdames Lehman, Gallup and Larson.

The steel for the new seven-story building Hon. Frank P. Glazier will erect on the corner of Main and Huron streets, Ann Arbor, has arrived and work been started. It will take about two months to put up the steel before the brick work is begun.

John G. Adrien opened a meat market in the McKune store on East Middle street, Wednesday, and will use this location until his former place is vacated, which will be sometime next week. He has on hand at present a full line of all kinds of meat.

Chas. Crane, of Munith, has sold his stock of general merchandise in that village to O. Carley & Son, who took possession of the stock Tuesday. Mr. Crane will continue the undertaking business, which he has conducted for some years past.

John M. Alber, of Freedom, died on Thursday, January 3, 1907, aged 69 years. The funeral was held from Bethel church, Tuesday, Rev. Paul Irion officiating. The deceased was an uncle of A. G. Faist, of Chelsea, who and family attended the funeral.

The annual meeting of the Congregational Church will be held at the church Monday evening, January 14. The officers of the church will be elected, the various branches of the church will report on the work of the year, and the roll of the church members will be called. A large attendance is desired.

A stock company is about to start a new evening paper in Jackson, to be known as the Record.

The Ladies' Research club will meet at the home of Mrs. N. F. Prudden, Tuesday evening, January 15.

The tile floor is being laid in the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank. Mr. Ladd is doing the work.

F. L. Davidson is in Chicago this week learning the best methods of mixing cement and building sidewalks.

LaMonte C. BeGole has accepted a position in the State Savings Bank of Detroit. He began work this morning.

The stockholders of the Chelsea Savings Bank received a Happy New Year reminder in the shape of a five per cent dividend on January first.

Married, in Chelsea, Wednesday morning, January 9, 1907, Miss Bernice M. Birch and Jay W. Hadley, both of Lyndon, the Rev. Fr. Considine officiating.

Last Thursday, in the case of I. H. Weatherwax, trustee in bankruptcy of Geo. Harder & Co. vs. Peter Gorman, Judge Kinne rendered a decision against the complainant and in favor of Mr. Gorman.

The entertainment given by the Dickson Jubilee Singers in the M. E. church was a fine one and there was a large audience present. The concert is said to have been one of the best given in Chelsea for a number of years past.

Insurance Commissioner Barry states that fire and life insurance companies are not reporting promptly this year, because of the new blanks adopted by the insurance commissioners' association, which require more information than heretofore.

The installation of the officers of the Waterloo Gleaners will take place on Saturday evening of this week. The installing officer is from Caro, and the ceremonies will take place in the U. B. Church of Waterloo. The order will serve an oyster supper in their hall following the exercises in the church.

Mrs. M. Ward died at the home of her son, E. A. Ward, of Sylvan, Wednesday, December 26. The deceased was born in the state of New York, in 1813. She was the mother of Mrs. Charles Kellogg. The funeral was held from the home of her son, Friday, December 28, Rev. T. D. Denman officiating. Interment Sylvan Center.

A very pleasant surprise was given to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Young at their home in Sylvan, January 6, by fifty of their friends and relatives, the occasion being the 15th anniversary of their marriage. At noon the guests assembled in the dining room where a sumptuous dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Young were presented with a beautiful set of silver knives and forks.

Fifteen members of Chelsea Castle, K. of P., were in Ypsilanti, Monday evening, where they attended a district meeting. Ann Arbor and Milan each had representatives present. Fourteen candidates were initiated, one of the number, James Leek, of Chelsea. The Ypsilanti members served a banquet in the Light Guard Armory of that city to about 200 members of the order.

The annual meeting of the Congregational Church and Society was held at the church Monday evening. The report of the treasurer indicated that the finances of the society are in a flourishing condition, the receipts of the year being sufficient to meet all of the expenses. C. H. Kempf and W. J. Knapp were elected to succeed themselves as trustees for a term of three years. D. H. Wurster was re-elected clerk.

Lafayette Grange will hold their next regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fletcher, in Chelsea, Wednesday, January 16, at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp, for the transaction of important business. All members will please try and be at the meeting on time, so that we may close in time to accommodate those who wish to attend the annual meeting of the Insurance Co. GEO. T. ENGLISH, Master.

The first big sale of May Festival reserved seat tickets will take place at the University School of Music next week, beginning Monday morning at 9 o'clock. From then until Saturday afternoon first choice of seats may be had for \$3.50 extra. This plan is in accordance with the plan of sale which has worked so successfully during the past two years. The following week the price will be \$3.00 and will gradually be decreased until some weeks later fairly good seats may be had for \$1.00.

The new barn that has just been completed for J. G. Wagner, of the Chelsea house, is so arranged that it will make a very convenient 10-cent barn for the farmers. There are two entrances, one from Jackson street and one from the alley, and the owners of horses who patronize the place will find ample room for the storage of their vehicles. The building is 70x75, two stories high. The second story will be devoted to the livery business conducted by Mr. Wagner and the first floor will be used as a 10-cent barn.



LAST CALL



All Ready-to-Wear Garments for Women, Misses and Children will be Closed Out During the Next Two Weeks.

The very latest and most popular style garments shown in the large cities are duplicated here at prices that will surprise you.

Only thirty Ladies' Coats now on hand and every one is a beauty, full length, satin lined, in fact the swellest coats ever shown in Chelsea, and here they go at about ONE-HALF their actual worth.

If you haven't purchased a new garment this season, don't miss this opportunity, come at once or you will be too late. Take your choice. One lot at \$5.00, another lot at \$7.50, another lot at \$10.00, another lot at \$12.00, and the cream of the bunch at \$14.00.

All Ladies' Suits, Skirts and Waists marked way down.

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W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY

Annual Meeting.

The annual election of directors of the Kempf Commercial and Savings Bank of Chelsea was held January 8, 1907, that being the date designated by law for the election of directors.

The following were duly elected as directors for the ensuing year:

Reuben Kempf, Charles H. Kempf, R. S. Armstrong, C. Klein, Edward Vogel, Harmon S. Holmes, George A. BeGole.

The directors assembled at 1 p. m. and organized the board by electing the following officers:

President—Harmon S. Holmes.
Vice-President—Charles H. Kempf.
Cashier—George A. BeGole.
Assistant Cashier—John L. Fletcher.

A report of the business was rendered, which was very satisfactory to the stockholders, being the best since the organization of the Bank on January 17, 1898.

We desire at this time to thank our customers and friends for their patronage in the past, and assure them that we desire to increase our usefulness to the business community of Chelsea and the general public in the future. We would call your attention to the fact that this Bank has a record of over thirty years as a private and a State bank, during which time it has passed through panics, hard times and all the vicissitudes of business, with never a time when it was unable to meet its obligations upon demand. We are organized under the general banking laws of Michigan, and, as such, are under the direct supervision and inspection of the State Banking Commissioner.

We expect to move into our new bank building about February 15th, and we extend an invitation to all to do business with us, which at all times will receive attention from such men as you all know. Reuben Kempf, Charles H. Kempf, R. S. Armstrong, C. Klein, Edward Vogel, and Harmon S. Holmes. All of these men are well known to you as men of means, integrity and responsible in every way.

We solicit your patronage, either in receiving your money on deposit, upon which we pay interest, or to loan you money.

Very respectfully,
THE KEMPf COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK,
Geo. A. BEGOLE, Cashier.
JOHN L. FLETCHER, Assistant Cashier.

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WANTED—Colts to break. For farther particulars call on Della Goodwin at the Chelsea House. 49c

WANTED—Boarders. Call on Mrs. O'Connor, North street, Chelsea. 50

WANTED—Gentleman or lady to travel for Mercantile House of large capital. Territory at home or abroad to suit. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of \$1 000 per year and expenses. Address, with stamp Jos. A. Alexander, Chelsea, Mich. 49c

DO YOU NEED A STOVE—Large size Peninsula, full nickel, burn wood or coal, new last winter, \$15 cash or wood takes it. O. J. Walworth, Jefferson street, Chelsea. 49c

ATTENTION—The Chelsea House 10 cent bath is now ready for the accommodation of the public. Give us a trial. J. C. Wagner. 70

FOR SALE—House and two lots, south Main street near electric waiting room. For full particulars call on Adam Alber or Fred Broesamle. 50

FOR SALE—Part Shepherd puppies. Call on John McCumb in the Miller house, North street. 39

Try our Job Department.

REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE—Having purchased the R. A. Snyder onion marsh and all hard land, village lots etc. I now offer the same for sale, 42 acres of onion marsh for sale in a body, or will sell in parcels. H. S. Holmes. 45c

Standard-Herald liners bring results.

FOR SALE—Several Lumber wagon and hay rack, second-hand, but as good as new; has been used but very little. Cheap. Call on A. G. Faist.

FOR SALE—Choice second growth wood. Prompt delivery. Phone 156 31. Fred Barries. 50

FOR SALE—Farm of 480 acres in bulk or in parcels, in Lyndon township, good peach and apple orchards, fair buildings. Terms easy. Inquire of J. S. Gorman. 37c

LARGE ENGLISH YORKSHIRES for sale at the South Jackson Stock Farm. The prize herd of Michigan. All stock the get of Jackson Bay, the grand champion-bred of Michigan. Gallup & Townley, proprietors, Jackson, Mich. Phone W 144. E. E. Gallup, Chelsea. 36c

KALMBACH & WATSON have a good big list of village and farm properties. See them if you want to buy—See them if you want to sell.

FOR SALE—A good baseburner coal stove. Inquire of John Spiegelberg, R. F. D. 2, Chelsea, or phone 158-21. 49

FARM TO LET on shares. Two hundred and forty acres in Webster township three miles north of Delhi Mills. Five miles northeast of Dexter. Good land and good buildings. Apply to E. Cranston, Dexter, Mich. Bell phone 56 21. 50

LOST—On Sunday morning, December 29th, between the Congregational church and the middle section of South street, a jet necklace. Finder will please leave the same in the H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.'s store.

FOR SALE—One lot on Middle street; 3 lots in D. B. Taylor's addition, \$225 each; J. Geo. Kalmbach place house and 2 acres land; 4 lots on corner of Lincoln and Cogdon streets; John Conlin farm, Lyndon; 1/2 interest in Winans Hatch block occupied by Bacon Co-operative Co., 9 lots in Mrs. R. B. Gates' addition to Chelsea. Inquire of Turnbull & Witherall.



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The Begum's Carpet

By Mrs. M. B. Croker

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Mrs. Mills was a mystery to the moment. There had never been time to my knowledge when Beet- had not been distinguished by the presence of this benevolent elder- woman.

She never offered or accepted hos- ality, never paid or received calls, dived alone on the bank of the river, in a little bungalow just out of cantonment, whose bright red roof e a picturesque feature, amidst great garden of bananas, and beau- ul, fragrant orange trees.

It happened, one evening in the ins, that my sister and I—deluded the promise of a lovely afternoon set out for a walk. We were over- ken on our way home by a terrible nderstorm.

"Let us run into Mrs. Mills' for shelter," I cried. "She can't refuse allow us to stand on her veranda."
"Oh, if it were anywhere else!" id Cissie, whose face was ghastly. e was a desperate coward in thun- derstorms.

"See, there she is! And she is ecoming to us." And I opened the e with alacrity, for I had desecied e all home with an umbrella over e head.

"You are just in time," said Mrs. Mills (as if our appearance were a ecoming to us). "Come in; come e day's affair." "Come in; come e day's affair."

"Cordially motioning us towards e sitting room."

We accepted the invitation prompt- ly. What I beheld filled me with eomishment. The nature was of e plainest and cheapest bamboo, e bare walls were washed with blue



No One Came Near Me for Hours."

coloring, but the floor was entirely ecovered by a magnificent Persian car- et, which must have cost hundreds e pounds.

"Mrs. Mills noticed my admiration. "It must have been very expen- eive," I remarked.

"Oh, yes; it is partly made of silk. e was a present." She paused for e moment, and stared at me in her odd ay, and then continued, "I wonder ay you would like to hear how I eared it."

"Yes, very much indeed," I an- ewered.

"Well, it is the story of my life." e she paused, whilst the rain pat- eered mournfully.

"You must know," she began—"In- eed you do know—that I am coun- y-born. I was reared and educated e Kidlington school, near Calcutta.

My mother was a native lady of good eood. She ran away with my father, e an officer in the army. His name was e Montford. I never saw either of e; they died when I was too young e remember, and, as far as I'm aware, e no relations.

"When I was about seventeen I was e married to Mills, an engineer on e railway. He was a clever young man e—very hard working—and very fond e me, and I lived in Calcutta—oh, s- e apply—for six years. He was erowned in the Hooley on just such e afternoon as this might be. He e left me a widow of three-and-twenty, e with two children, and I had to cast e about to earn their bread and mine.

I was a great favorite, and as I e had some interest I got a post—a curi- s- one, you'll say—I was appointed e to visit zenanas, and ascertain that e the government pensioners were alive e to draw their pay, and not having it e made over to substitutes, after their eath."

"How could that be?" I inquired.

"I'll try and explain. You see, after e the mutiny the English government e took the King of Delhi and sent him e way to Burma. There were all his e retainers and relations, penniless and e neglected, and to all these, the govern- e ment granted a pension, paid e monthly. Regarding the men it e was simple; they applied person- ally for payment. They could e seen. Not so the women, e have all the princesses of the royal e house—and their pensions were large. e would be easy to say a princess was e alive and draw her income, when no e mander ever saw her face—and she e might be dead for years. There had e been a good deal of mismanagement e and cheating, among great and small.

When a pensioner died, half the money e went to his next of kin, when the next e of kin died, a quarter of the sum went e to his heir, and so it expired. Well, e one day the secretary of my depart- e ment sent for me, and said very so- e riously:

"Look here, A. Mills. You must e be most particu- visiting the de- e scendants and next of kin of the old e Begum Sonab-bee in Lucknow. She is e falling fast. Her pension is a fine e one, and half of it goes to her grand- e daughter. Have you ever seen her?"

"No," I replied; "I had not. I had e seen her two sons—beautiful boys. I e had visited the old Begum regularly. e She liked me, we were good friends; e but somehow I had never once en- e countered her granddaughter. Either e she was ill, or she was away visiting e her own people up in the Punjab."

"And this has gone on for five e years?" he said, and he was angry. e "That is not the way to carry out your e duty. Your duty is to see these pen- e sioners, so as to swear to their iden- e tity. You must be resolute; don't al- e low them to hoodwink you, or we e shall have to get some other person e to deal with them, and you lose your e fine post!"

"Yes, and I would lose my bread, e and my children would starve, I knew e that; and I resolved to be determined e when I went to Sonab Begum's."

"I went home and asked a neighbor e and a friend to have an eye to Dora, e my dear little girl. She was 11; e Ernest was at the Martiniere college. e Then I drove away to the palace, very e determined indeed. I felt that I had e everything at stake, and I would never e leave till I had either seen this prin- e cess or her dead body."

"I had an immediate audience with e her highness, and told her my errand e civilly and as pleasantly as I could. e She at once flew into a terrible pas- e sion. She was the fattest woman I e ever saw, and I thought she would e have a fit. Her face seemed to swell, e her eyes nearly jumped out of it, and e her voice—oh, it was just one long e scream!"

"All I said was, 'Bring me to see the e Princess Motee only for one moment, e and I go; otherwise I stay here al- e ways.'"

"I was hustled away into a damp, e low room, looking into a courtyard e on the ground floor, and left there alone. e No one came near me for hours—but e they peeped and whispered outside to- e gether. I remained there all night, e and I ate some bread, and got water e at the fountain in the court; but I could e not sleep for the rats, and for the e fear that someone would come and e strangle me, you see. I was alone— e one woman combating a hundred."

"The next morning I was again e taken to the Begum, and she was now e all good nature and affection. 'But e this is foolishness,' she cried. 'Take e this, and she offered me a splendid e diamond and emerald belt. It is for e thee, if thou wilt depart, and say that e all is well. I have seen her highness, e the Motee Mahal, granddaughter of e her highness the Begum.'"

"But that would be false," I an- e swered stoutly. "I do not accept e bribes."

"Then accept hunger!" she screame- d. "Hunger and death."

"With this threat ringing in my ears e once more I was hustled down to my e quarters below, where I remained for e three days, almost starving. Once an e old hag crept in, and whispered, 'The e end is near! Huzoor—the end—is at e hand!'"

"But what end? My end?"

"As I was thinking of lying down e on the fourth night I suddenly saw e a glimmer of light, and a pure white e woman, in rich native dress, entered, e with a lamp in her hand. She was e tall, slight, and delicately fair."

"Dost desire to see me?" she asked e with a look of surprise in her blue e eyes.

"The Motee Mahal?" I inquired.

"Yea."

"The mother of sons, and grand- e daughter of the Begum?"

"Yea. Art content?"

"Her face was pale and colorless, e from lifelong seclusion, but her hair e was a sandy shade, she had a dimple e in her cheek, and was the type of e Englishwoman one sees by scores."

"Then the Begum sent for me, and e said, 'Now, behold, thou hast seen!'" e the Pearl Princess Motee. What of e her?"

"She is a Belaitie (which is Eng- e lish), I answered boldly—more Eng- e lish than I."

"Yea, and since all is known, I will e tell the truth. My daughter, now e dead, had no children, though she e wearied the shrines with her prayers. e At last a child was born—only a girl. e Nevertheless, she was happy; but, be- e hold, in a moon it died, and she was e as one distraught. Therefore I sent e messengers, and found a babe like a e pearl, and put it in her arms, and she e nursed and loved it as her own. It e was the child of a soldier gone to the e war, the mother dead. She, the Prin- e cess Motee, hath no knowledge of e this. She believes herself to be of my e race. Knowing how stern and foolish are e the pension rules I hid her, for I love e her as mine own. Nay, she is my own— e suckled at my daughter's breast. When thou tellest the tale, be wise, e Speak not of the white woman with e yellow hair; but say, 'Lo! there was e a mistake, and there will be no claim, e otherwise the Sircar will be wroth e with me, and I lose my pension. If e thou wilt hold thy peace I will send e thee the richest carpet in India, as e a reward, not a bribe. I desire but e peace, and death.'"

"The Begum kept her word; and e sent me the carpet. The government e gave me a pension of 200 rupees a e month; and here I spend the fag end e of my life. There now, the rain has e stopped. I sent over for your carriage e—and here it comes."

LIFE IN A STAND-UP FLAT

The Plight of a Homeless Man

"Ever live in a stand-up flat?" in- e quired Mr. Jones, not over cheerfully. e "No? Well, I have lived in one. In e fact, I live in one now."

"It is a six-room-and-bath-with-all- e the-modern-improvement affair," he e went on "and costs \$38 a month. The e parlor is decorated as beautifully as e an Avenue A wedding cake."

"It is furnished with a mahogany e set of spider-legged furniture, uphol- e stered with broad silk of delicate e tints. There are a bookcase, a writ- e ing desk (lady's size), a chair for it e and a center table of the same wood. e On the floor is a rug that cost I don't e know what, reduced from my wife e knows what."

"Separated partly from the main e parlor by hardwood pretzel work is e a little second parlor. In it are a e piano, a mahogany chair, suitable for e anything but sitting in, and a large e box couch. This couch is entirely oc- e cupied by fancy sofa pillows. Then e comes a bedroom that must always be e in order, because you can look into e it from the parlors and the private e hall."

"Beyond this bedroom is another e bedroom, which belongs to my wife e and is usually kept closed. Life is too e short to tell what things occupy the e chairs. Between the bedrooms is the e bathroom."

"Further along is the dining room, e with oak furniture, the chairs covered e with leather and very slippery. One e can sit on them at mealtime if he is e hungry. In the kitchen is a small e cane seat chair."

"Now, a horse can stand up all the e time. Most horses stand up while e sleeping in their stalls. It is said also e that a stork never sits or lies down, e but a man, even though he dwell in a e flat, wants a place where he can sit e down. He can lie down in his bed or e in the bathtub, but where can he sit e down and have any comfort?"

"What do I do? Well, I glance at the e morning papers while sitting at the e breakfast table, and after breakfast e I would look around for a comfortable e chair in which I could smoke my pipe e and read the news, but such a thing e is not in the flat."

"So I stuff my paper in my pocket e and steer for the room back of a e neighboring barroom. I can sit down e there. The barkeeper knows that I e buy a glass of ale there once in a e while in the evening before going to e bed and he does not expect me to buy e anything in the morning. From there e I go to my work, which does not re- e quire me to be on hand very early."

"In the evening I have my dinner e sitting on a slippery leather bottomed e chair. Then I go into the little second e parlor and drop down on the piano e stool—I can't damage that—and talk e with my wife till I feel the necessity e of sitting down somewhere in comfort e and resting."

"By that time my wife is ready to e retire, and I, not being able to sleep e as many hours as she, go around to e the room in the rear of the barroom, e where there are some fairly comfort- e able wooden chairs. By spending five e cents for a glass of stock ale I feel e myself privileged to sit there and e rest for a while."

"Now, I could pay for a comfortable e chair at home, but there is no place e for it in our stand-up flat. In the pa- e rlor it would mar the effect of the e upholstered mahogany furniture. I e couldn't put it in my little bedroom e without removing my half-width bed e and sleeping on a cot."

"There is room enough in my wife's e bedroom for only the number of chairs e required to hold the wraps and things e she lays aside on coming in. Such a e thing as a comfortable chair in the e dining room, if there was room for it, e would spoil the oak and leather effect."

"I have thought of the kitchen as a e last resort; but to tell the truth if e there was room there between the gas e range and the washbasin I don't think e I would like it for a sitting room."

"When I was a youngster," Mr. e Jones concluded, "I rented a wohn e und schlaf zimmer in a tenement house e on the East Side and furnished the place e comfortably. In it there were a few e chairs in which persons could sit. But e that was before the days of modern e flats with all the up-to-date improve- e ments."

Checks Did Not Reach Banks.

Secretary Shaw endeavored to e change the nature of the government e clerk and has failed dismally. He e was surprised to learn some time e ago that very few of his clerks were e saving money and that most of them e were regular patrons of money e lenders, so he instructed his disbur- e sing officer to pay them in checks in- e stead of cash, his idea being that they e would go to the bank to get their e checks cashed and would thus be led e to invest a little in savings institu- e tions. The hope was futile. On trac- e ing the history of these pay checks e Secretary Shaw was horrified to find e that a large portion of them were e regularly cashed by the proprietor of e a flourishing saloon a couple of blocks e from the treasury department. This e discovery so disgusted Mr. Shaw that e he rescinded the pay check order.

Justice Tempered with Mercy.

"Seeing that she was a woman," e and that "he did not wish to be hard e upon her," a Rangoon magistrate re- e cently fined a Burmese prisoner, for e being in illicit possession of four balls e of opium, \$160, with the alternative of e six months' rigorous imprisonment,

AN IMPORTANT CASE

Patient Cured of Ataxia Gives the Entire Credit to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. S. C. Wellock, of 114 Cleveland e Avenue, Everett, Mass., the wife of e an employee in the government works e at Chelsea, says:

"I had been troubled with nervous- e ness for ten years and the disease e kept growing on me. Then I learned e that I was suffering from locomotor e ataxia. I had terrible tremblings in e my right leg which would get rigid e and when this happened in the street e I had to stand still until it passed e away to keep from falling. My right e arm felt as if a thousand needles were e pricking it. The sheet touching my e knee in bed would nearly cause me e to scream out with pain and both e knees were so weak I could hardly e stand."

"I had to use a cane and be helped e about by my son. Then the pain be- e gan to settle in the calves of my legs e and the muscles became numb and e quivered constantly. The cords un- e der my knees seemed to be drawn up e tight and the terrible shooting pains e in my legs would numb me and at e times would prickle as if needles were e being thrust into them. My eyes be- e came dull and black spots floated be- e fore them. My heart was very weak."

"My attention was called to Dr. e Williams' Pink Pills and I bought se- e veral boxes right away and soon felt e relief. I was so pleased that I kept e on taking them until they cured me e entirely, and I have had no symptoms e of the trouble for over a year."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by e all druggists or sent, postpaid, on re- e ceipt of price, 50 cents per box, six e boxes \$2.50, by Dr. Williams' Med- e icine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. e A booklet, entitled "Nervous Dis- e orders," sent free on request.

Nothing pleases a homely woman so e much as to have a man compliment e her figure.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. e I, FRANK J. CHENEY, do hereby certify e that FRANK J. CHENEY is the senior e partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., e doing business in the City of Toledo, e Ohio, and that said firm will pay the e sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for e each and every case of CATARRH e cured by the use of e HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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MANY SOURCES OF SALT.

That from Natural Springs is Gen- e erally Most Nearly Pure.

The purity of salt depends upon the e source from which it is obtained and e the sanitary conditions under which e it is prepared for the market. The e supply of common salt, the most in- e dispensable of all the seasoning sub- e stances both as a refreshing condiment e and a well-nigh universal food pre- e servative, is exhaustless, yet even so e there is salt and salt, says the Pic- e torial Review.

Formerly salt was obtained by evap- e orating ocean water, a process that e left many impurities in the residuum, e to say nothing of its exposure to all e kinds of dirt in its shipment from sea- e ports. The Turk's island or rock salt, e which is still largely used in pork e packing and in the manufacture of ice e creams, comes to the United States e in holds of vessels continually sub- e jected to dirt and foul odors. Upon e its arrival it is again handled, then e packed in coarse burlap bags, permit- e ting dust to sift into the salt. In this e condition it reaches the consumer.

Latterly, however, the product of e salt springs has largely taken the lead e in this country not only for table salt e but for meat packing. The annual e production from this source in the e United States reaches more than 40, e 000,000 bushels, the state of New York e in the vicinity of Syracuse furnishing e a large proportion of this important e supply.

NEVER TIRES

Of the Food That Restored Her to e Health.

"My food was killing me and I didn't e know the cause," writes a Colo. young e lady. "For two years I was thin and e sickly, suffering from indigestion and e inflammatory rheumatism."

"I had tried different kinds of diet, e plain living, and many of the remedies e recommended, but got no better."

"Finally, about five weeks ago, e mother suggested that I try Grape- e Nuts, and I began at once, eating it e with a little cream or milk. A change e for the better began at once."

"To-day I am well and am gaining e weight and strength all the time. I've e gained 10 lbs. in the last five weeks e and do not suffer any more from indig- e estion and the rheumatism is all e gone."

"I know it is to Grape-Nuts alone e that I owe my restored health. I still e eat the food twice a day and never tire e of it." Name given by Postum Co., e Battle Creek, Mich.

The flavor of Grape-Nuts is peculiar e to itself. It is neutral, not too sweet e and has an agreeable, healthful qual- e ity that never grows tiresome.

One of the sources of rheumatism e is from overloading the system with e acid material, the result of imperfect e digestion and assimilation.

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The result is a certain and steady e return to normal health and mental e activity. "There's a reason." Read e the little book "The Road to Well- e ville" in pkgs.

OLD CAPT. CACK'S QUESTION.

Somewhat Pointed, But It Denoted Quick Intelligence.

Pierce Jay, the commissioner of e banks of Massachusetts, at the Ameri- e can Bankers' association's convention e in St. Louis, advocated a better ac- e counting system.

"But above all," said Mr. Jay, in e a discussion of his idea, "we want e intelligence, if embezzlement is to be e thoroughly put down. Systems are e good, but intelligence is better, and e in cashiers and tellers and book- e keepers and note clerks we want the e same keen, quick intelligence that e characterized old Capt. Hiram Cack, e of Gloucester."

"Cack lay very ill. One day he got e down-hearted, feeling that his case e was hopeless."

"I fear, doctor," he said, "there isn't e much hope for me."

"Oh, yes, there is," the doctor an- e swered. "Three years ago I was in e your condition precisely, and look at e me now."

"Cack, intelligent and alert, said e quickly:

"What doctor did you have?"

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Skin Disease from Birth—Fortune e Spent on Her Without Benefit— e Cured Her with Cuticura.

"I have a cousin in Rockingham Co., e who once had a skin disease from her e birth until she was six years of age. e Her father had spent a fortune on e her to get her cured and none of the e treatments did her any good. Old e Dr. G— suggested that he try the e Cuticura Remedies which he did. e When he commenced to use it the e child was almost a solid scab. He e had used it about two months and e the child was well. I was there when e they commenced to use your Cuti- e cura Remedies. I stayed that week e and then returned home and stayed e two weeks and then went back and e stayed with them two weeks longer, e and when I went home I could hardly e believe she was the same child. Her e skin was as soft as a baby's with- e out a scar on it. I have not seen her e in seventeen years, but I have heard e from her and the last time I heard from e her she was well. Mrs. W. P. Ingle, e Burlington, N. C., June 16, 1905."

HE WANTED LIVE NEWS.

Correspondent Had No Time to Waste e with Vice President.

Vice President Fairbanks stopped e a newspaper man the other day, and e good-naturedly asked explanation of e an incident which happened years e ago. On that occasion Mr. Fairbanks e and the correspondent were chatting e pleasantly, when suddenly the latter e moved away to meet Senator Chan- e dler of Maine. The vice president said: e "I have always had great curiosity to e know why you deserted me that day."

The newspaper man hesitated for e a moment, and then replied: "To tell e you the truth, Mr. Vice President, you e are a mighty dry source of news. You e may have a nose for news, but I e doubt it; at any rate, you never give e up any. Now, when a newspaper man e is gunning for big, live news he hasn't e got time to stop and exchange small e talk with a man, even if he be a sen- e ator, who would not know the price e of news if he saw it." Mr. Fairbanks e smiled. "I thank you for your frank- e ness," he said. "I see I shall have to e cultivate a nose for news."

What is Pe-ru-na?

Is it a Catarrh Remedy, or a Tonic, e or is it Both?

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From a theoretical standpoint, there- e fore, Peru-na is beyond criticism. The e use of Peru-na, confirms this opinion. e Numerous testimonials from every e quarter of the earth furnish ample e evidence that this judgment is not e over enthusiastic. When practical ex- e perience confirms a well-grounded e theory the result is a truth that cannot e be shaken.

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Thursday and Friday, February 21 and 22—Program is Being Arranged—Good Speakers in Charge.

Last Saturday afternoon some twenty of our citizens met in S. A. Mapes' office and made out a program for the two-days Farmers' Institute, which is to be held in the Chelsea opera house, Thursday and Friday, February 21 and 22. The program has been forwarded to Lansing to the secretary of the State Farmers' Institute work, and he will make an assignment of the State speakers who will be in attendance during the sessions of the institute.

The ladies will hold a separate section of the work, and competent speakers will be assigned to conduct this department of the institute work.

The coming institute gives promise of being the most successful one of any that have been held in Chelsea, and the local committee is making arrangements to accommodate a large number of citizens who usually take part in this work.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 150 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at the Bank Drug Store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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